

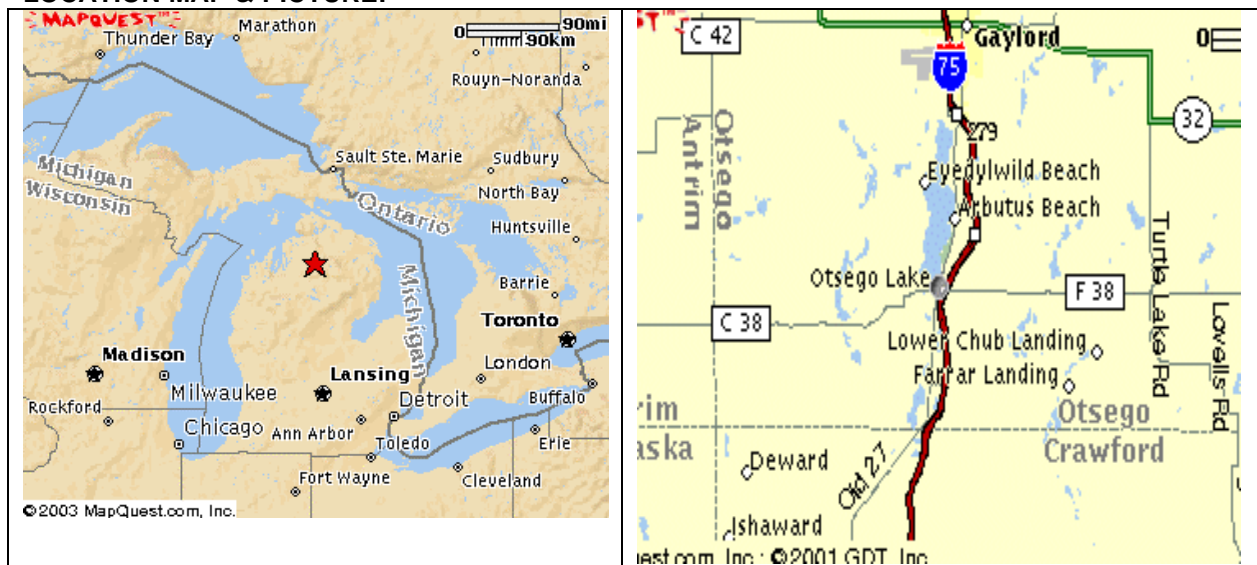
**PROJECT FACT SHEET**  
**(24 February 2004)**

**PROJECT:** Otsego Lake Otsego County, Michigan

**DESCRIPTION:** Otsego Lake is located in Otsego County, Michigan. The lake has experienced deteriorating water quality and sedimentation problems. The study scope of work will explore the possible actions to control the sedimentation and flocculent problems in Otsego Lake and make recommendations on possible methods of lake ecological restoration. Dredging the lake is necessary for removing sedimentation and creating areas with depths that will limit weed growth and provide a more balanced ecosystem which will slow eutrophication.

**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** Stupak(D) MI-1; MI Senators Levin (D) and Stabenow (D)

**LOCATION MAP & PICTURE:**



**NON-FEDERAL PROJECT SPONSOR:** Otsego County Board of Commissioners Otsego County, Michigan (POC: Laura Hansmann, 989-732-6060).

**PROJECT AUTHORITY:** Section 206 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1996, as amended

**FUNDING:**

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Federal</u>	<u>Non-Federal</u>
Current Working Estimate	TBD	TBD	TBD
Funds Expended prior to FY04	\$ 4,725	\$ 4,725	\$ 0
Funds allocated in FY04	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
FY05 Budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Funds that could be used in FY05	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	
Funds required to complete (> FY05)	TBD	TBD	TBD

**STAGE:** Projection Initiation

**STATUS:** Initiation of the Preliminary Restoration Plan (PRP) is scheduled for Oct 04. Feasibility can be initiated in FY05.

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